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TAKESHITA et al.

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SAMPLE INTO AMPHIBIAN OOCYTES

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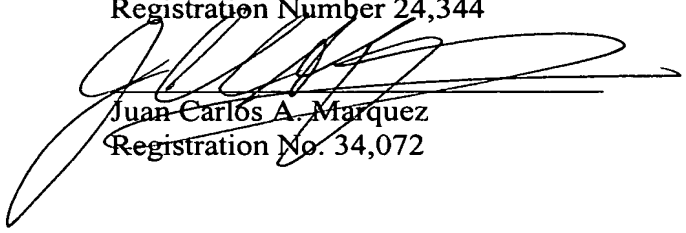
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated August 28, 2006, the period for response to which expires on November 28, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: